

HONORABLE JAMAL N. WHITEHEAD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

MISAEEL TRUJILLO-BALTAZAR,

Defendant.

Cause No. 2:23-CR-135-JNW

**ORDER CONTINUING TRIAL**

The Court has considered Defendant's motion for a continuance of his trial date from October 16, 2023. Defense Counsel has indicated by way of his motion that he requires additional time to consult with his client and / or to prepare the case for trial. Based upon Defense Counsel's motion, the Court finds that the ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, that a continuance is necessary to ensure Defense Counsel sufficient time for case preparation, and that these factors outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant in a speedy trial within the meaning of the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

1 The Court further finds that the period of time from the current trial date of until two  
2 weeks beyond the new trial date, shall be excludable time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18  
3 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A) and (h)(8)(B)(i) and (iv).

4 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the trial date in this matter is continued to May 20,  
5 2024, and the Pre-trial Motions deadline is extended to April 18, 2024.

6 Dated this 14th day of September, 2023.

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11 Jamal N. Whitehead  
United States District Judge

12 Presented by:

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14 /s/Gilbert H. Levy  
15 Gilbert H. Levy, WSBA #4805  
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